



Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

DRL Update

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DRL Update

- ❖ New LTC Process
- ❖ Proposed Legislation
- ❖ Opioid Grant Update



New LTC Process

- New survey process began 11/28/17
- Federal process for all certified homes
- Electronic process
- Improve consistency
- Improve efficiencies – decrease time in facilities
- Focus on resident-centered care



Proposed Legislation

Abortion related:

- HB1372, HB1383, HB1854, SB671, SB714

Marijuana/hemp oil related:

- HB1440, HB1448, HB1554, HB1731, SB547

Extending healthcare related:

- HB1502, HB1574, SB646, SB745



Proposed Legislation

Opioid related:

- Prescribing guidelines/education -
 - HB 1310, HB1473
- Syringe/needle exchange -
 - HB1467, HB1620
- PDMP -
 - HB1619, HB1740, SB737, SB762



Opioid Grant

- ❖ First responder grant awarded by SAMHSA
- ❖ \$800,000/year for 4 years
- ❖ Goals
 - Save lives
 - Increase first responders carrying naloxone
 - Increase training on naloxone administration
 - Provide naloxone to first responders



Opioid Grant

- ❖ Distribution approach
 - Recognized high need areas of the state
 - 60% rural focus, 40% urban
 - Law enforcement, EMS, park rangers, etc.
 - Proof of training documentation
 - MOU required



Opioid Grant

- ❖ How can LPHAs participate?
 - Consider storing naloxone for 1st responder agencies
 - Host naloxone training sessions
 - Provide educational information on:
 - ✓ Recognizing the signs of overdose
 - ✓ Administration of naloxone
 - ✓ Drug take back locations
 - Assist with recruitment/enrollment of healthcare providers into the St. Louis County PDMP
 - Discuss the grant with local 1st responder agencies



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Opioid Grant

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